

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
CHARLOTTE DIVISION
Civil Action No. 3:14-cv-00508**

JACKSON NATIONAL LIFE
INSURANCE COMPANY,

Plaintiff,

vs.

JOHN D. JENRETTE, LEE FUNERAL HOME
AND CREMATORY, LISA M. SINGER,
as Personal Representative of the ESTATE OF
GERALDINE J. HARDEE, and PRUDENTIAL
HOME MORTGAGE COMPANY, INC.,

Defendants.

CONSENT JUDGMENT

THIS MATTER came on to be heard before the Court on Defendant John D. Jenrette's Motion to Approve Settlement and to Approve Distribution of Funds (Doc. No. 19), and it appearing to the Court that John D. Jenrette and Lisa M. Singer as Personal Representative of the Estate of Geraldine J. Hardee, Defendants in the above-styled civil action, have agreed to compromise and settle the matters in dispute between them and wish to enter into a Consent Judgment.

THEREFORE, the Court GRANTS the Motion (Doc. No. 19) and makes and enters upon the record the following findings of fact and conclusions of law:

1. Plaintiff Jackson National Life Insurance Company ("JNL"), pursuant to life insurance policy no. 00190931 60 ("the Policy") insuring the life of the late Geraldine J. Hardee ("Ms. Hardee"), paid into the Registry of the Court all amounts due under the Policy on account of Ms. Hardee 's death, totaling \$102,804.79.

2. JNL was dismissed with prejudice from this action, and payment in \$6,000.00 in

fees and \$400.00 in costs from the Policy proceeds, were paid to JNL from the Registry of the Court.

3. Defendants Lee Funeral Home and Crematory and Prudential Home Mortgage Company, Inc. have been properly served, but are in default and have not made claims to the interplead funds.

4. The Estate of Geraldine J. Hardee has paid \$6,529.51 to Lee Funeral Home and Crematory and \$2,354.36 to Souther Palms Memorial Gardens.

THEREFORE, BASED UPON THE FORGOING FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW AND BASED ON THE CONSENT OF THE PARTIES, IT IS THEREFORE JUDGMENTED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED:

1. The Clerk shall disperse to Lisa M. Singer as Personal Representative of the Estate of Geraldine J. Hardee, from the funds on deposit, the amount of \$8,883.87, by check made payable to her attorneys, Stiles Byrum & Horne, LLP.

2. The Clerk shall disperse to John D. Jenrette, from the funds on deposit, the remaining interplead funds, by check made payable to his attorney Tatum Law Firm, PLLC.

3. The case hereby dismissed with prejudice.

Signed: June 16, 2015



Frank D. Whitney
Chief United States District Judge



WE CONSENT:

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